

Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 STATE 177991
ORIGIN IO-14

INFO OCT-01 EA-10 ISO-00 SS-15 SP-02 NSCE-00 INR-10
/052 R

DRAFTED BY IO/UNP:FJTATU/EA/PRCM:DMANDERSON:MFR
APPROVED BY IO:CWMAYNES
IO/UNP:PSBRIDGES
EA/PRCM:HETTHAYER
EA:RHOLBROOKE

-----025228 141937Z /41

R 140235Z JUL 78
FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO USMISSION USUN NEW YORK
INFO USLO PEKING

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 177991

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PORC, CH, US, UNGA

SUBJECT: PRE-UNGA CONSULTATIONS WITH PRC

REF: A) STATE 159646 B) PEKING 1952

1. AS PART OF OUR PREPARATIONS FOR PRE-UNGA CONSULTATIONS IN A NUMBER OF CAPITALS WE THINK IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO MAKE A LOW KEY APPROACH TO THE CHINESE ON THIS SUBJECT. IF THE CHINESE SHOULD PROVE RECEPTIVE TO CONSULTATIONS IN PEKING, ASSISTANT SECRETARY MAYNES WOULD BE PREPARED TO VISIT THERE SOMETIME BEFORE THE UNGA IF A MUTUALLY CONVENIENT TIME COULD BE ARRANGED.

2. THE DEPARTMENT SEES SEVERAL ADVANTAGES TO CONSULTATIONS IN PEKING, INCLUDING ENHANCED USLO ACCESS TO PRC FOREIGN MINISTRY DEPARTMENTS DEALING WITH INTERNATIONAL
CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 STATE 177991

ORGANIZATION AFFAIRS, AND (PERHAPS) MODEST STIMULATION OF PRC INTEREST IN MORE CONSTRUCTIVE PARTICIPATION IN THE UN SYSTEM.

-

3. ACCORDINGLY, USUN SHOULD APPROACH PRC PERM REP AND MAKE FOLLOWING POINTS:

A) IT HAS BEEN OUR LONG-STANDING PRACTICE TO CONDUCT
PRE-UNGA CONSULTATIONS WITH A WIDE VARIETY OF COUNTRIES
ON MATTERS OF COMMON CONCERN;

B) THESE CONSULTATIONS HAVE INVOLVED VISITS BY RANKING
US OFFICIALS TO A NUMBER OF CAPITALS;

C) SUCH VISITS DO NOT, OF COURSE REPLACE OR PRECLUDE
ONGOING CONSULTATIONS AT UN HEADQUARTERS;

D) IN ADDITION TO PRE-UNGA CONSULTATIONS IN NEW YORK, WE
WOULD BE PREPARED, IF THE PRC IS INTERESTED, TO ENGAGE IN
PRE-UNGA CONSULTATIONS THROUGH A VISIT TO PEKING BY
ASSISTANT SECRETARY MAYNES AT A MUTUALLY CONVENIENT
TIME OR BY USLO CHIEF WOODCOCK WITH APPROPRIATE FOREIGN
MINISTRY OFFICIALS. WE WOULD APPRECIATE THE PRC'S VIEWS
ON THIS SUBJECT.

CHRISTOPHER

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 jan 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: CONSULTATIONS (UN)
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 14 jul 1978
Decaption Date: 01 jan 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 20 Mar 2014
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1978STATE177991
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: FJTATU/EA/PRCM:DMANDERSON:MFR
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: GS
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: D780289-0666
Format: TEL
From: STATE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1978/newtext/t19780758/aaaabxca.tel
Line Count: 81
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: 90e50773-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ORIGIN IO
Original Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 78 STATE 159646, 78 PEKING 1952
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 01 aug 2005
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 2002082
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: PRE-UNGA CONSULTATIONS WITH PRC
TAGS: PORG, CH, US, UNGA
To: USUN NEW YORK
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odb://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/90e50773-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Sheryl P. Walter
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
20 Mar 2014
Markings: Sheryl P. Walter Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 20 Mar 2014